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The Honorable Todd Apo, Chair
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Re: Honolulu Police Commission – Confirmation of Max J. Sword

Dear Chair Apo and members of the Honolulu City Council,

I am writing in strong support of the appointment of Max J. Sword to the Honolulu Police Commission.

Max and I worked together on many issues while we served as representatives of our respective companies on the Hawaii Business Roundtable Legislative Advisory Committee. He is, above all, forthright in his views and brings a high level of honesty and integrity to the positions he holds.

Through the years, I have grown increasingly impressed with Max's unstinting passion for all things that benefit the city of Honolulu. From his efforts to make tourism thrive in Waikiki to supporting businesses in need of his expertise and experience, Max's commitment to Honolulu is second to none.

I am confident that Max Sword will be a tremendous asset to the Honolulu Police Commission, and it is my privilege to offer this letter of support. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Lance N. Tanaka
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Community Relations
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